



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of: Robert Corrigan, et al.

Examiner: Nalevanko, Christopher R

Serial No.: 09/832,738

Art Unit: 2611

Filed: April 10, 2001

Atty. Docket No.: SLM-00000 (P0076)

For: Method, System and Display Apparatus for
Encrypted Cinema

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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REQUEST FOR STATUS OF REVIVED APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request status of the above-identified patent application.

Attached is a copy of the Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 6, 2005. The petition to revive included an Amendment and Response to Office Action which is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 26, 2004.

Also attached is a copy of the decision on the petition to revive, mailed February 3, 2005. As seen, the decision **granted** the petition to revive the application as the requirements to revive the application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been met. The decision further indicated that the matter was being referred to Technology Center 2600 for further examination on the merits.

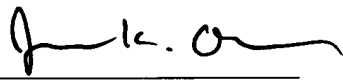
Applicants mailed an earlier request for status of application to the USPTO on April 27, 2006.

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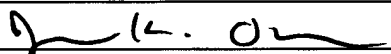
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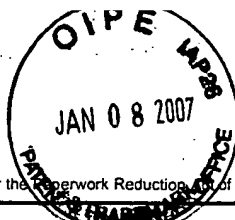
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Robert Corrigan, et al.

Dated: January 3, 2007

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number (Optional)
SLM-00000 (P0076)

First named inventor: Robert W. Corrigan, et al.

Application No.: 09/832,738

Art Unit: 2611

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Examiner: Nalevanko, Christopher R

Title: Method, System and Display Apparatus for Encrypted Cinema

Attention: Office of Petitions

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☐ Small entity - fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Other than small entity - fee \$ 1,500 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in
the form of Amendment and Response to Office Action (identify type of reply):

☒ has been filed previously on July 16, 2004.

☐ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee of \$ _____

☐ has been paid previously on _____.

☐ is enclosed herewith.

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. **SEND TO: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.**

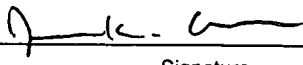
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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$_____ for a small entity or \$_____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].

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San Jose, CA 95164-1330 _____ Address	

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- ☒ Reply
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form
- ☒ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay
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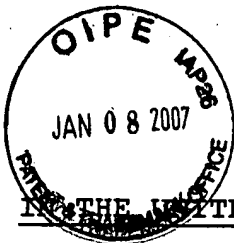
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Serial No.: 09/832,738	Art Unit: 2611
Filed: April 10, 2001	Atty. Docket No.: SLM-05800 (P0076)
Title: Method, System and Display for Encrypted Cinema	

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STATEMENT ESTABLISHING UNINTENTIONAL DELAY

Sir:

I, James K. Okamoto, of Okamoto & Benedicto LLP, hereby state that the attached copy of Amendment and Response to Office Action filed on July 16, 2004, was responsive to the office action mailed on April 26, 2004 in the above-identified application.

The Application Number on the response was typed by myself in error without deceptive intent to be "10/832,738", rather than the correct application number of "09/832,738". The error being in that a series number of "10" was typed instead of the correct series number of "09". A handwritten correction of this error is on the attached copy.

Note that other identifying information on the top of the Amendment and Response to Office Action was correct, including the inventors, filing date, title, examiner, and art unit.

I received the Notice of Abandonment yesterday, as it was forwarded by previous counsel Haverstock & Owens LLP. Upon review of the file, I discovered the unintentional error.

It is respectfully requested that the above-referenced patent application be revived and the attached Amendment and Response to Office action be entered.

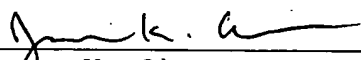
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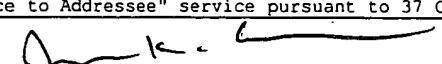
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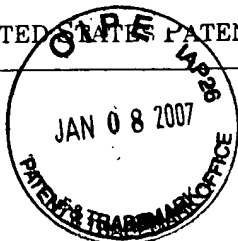
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In re Application of :
Corrigan et al. :
Application No. 09/832,738 :
Filed: April 10, 2001 :
Attorney Docket No. SLM-00000 (P0076) :

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed January 11, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

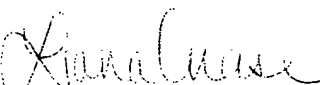
The petition is **GRANTED**.

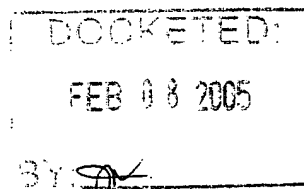
This application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the non-final Office action mailed April 26, 2004. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on July 27, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed December 29, 2004.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b).

This matter is being referred to Technology Center 2600 for further examination on the merits.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3282.


Liana Chase
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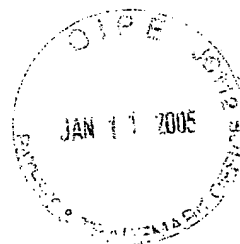


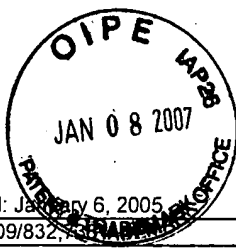


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Serial No.: 09/832,738	Docket No.: 10021.095800 (P0076)	
Applicant(s): Robert Corrigan, et al.		
Title: Method, System and Display Apparatus for Encrypted Cinema		

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2005**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$1,500)**Complete if Known**

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Filing Date	April 10, 2001
First Named Inventor	Robert W. Corrigan
Examiner Name	Nalevanko, Christopher R
Art Unit	2611
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 30 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Small Entity	
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200	100
360	180
Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

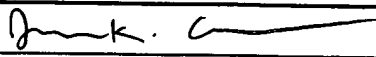
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

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